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PCT/FR04/001987 TITLE OF INVENTION	July 26, 2004	August 1, 2003					
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c. is not required, as the application	c. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).						
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a. x is attached hereto.							
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7. x Amendments to the claims of the In	ternational Application under PCT Artic	cle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))					
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8. An English language translation of	the amendments to the claims under P	CT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).					
9. An oath or declaration of the invent	or(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).						
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12. An assignment document for record	ding. A separate cover sheet in compli	ance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.					
13. x A preliminary amendment.							
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